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PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : William W. Smith III, et al.  
Application No. : 09/684,010  
Filed : October 6, 2000  
Title : Online, Multi-Carrier, Multi-Service Parcel Shipping  
Management Functional Alignment of Computer  
Devices  
Grp./Div. : 3629  
Examiner : Cosimano, Edward R.  
Docket No. : PSTM0002/MRK

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

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Commissioner:

In response to the Office Action dated October 21, 2003 regarding the above-identified application, please amend the above-identified application and enter the response and remarks as indicated below. A Petition for an Extension of Time for three months in which to file this Amendment and Response, and the required fee, are filed concurrently herewith.

Amendments to the Specification are reflected in the substitute specification, filed concurrently herewith in accordance with 37 CFR §1.125.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the Listing of Claims that begins on page 3 of this paper.